

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Application for Mediators

Please complete the entire application, using additional paper if necessary. You may also attach a resume.

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ADMISSIONS AND AFFILIATIONS

Date admitted to the Bar of the District of South Carolina: 3/1/77 I.D. No.: 945

Date admitted to the South Carolina Bar: 11/5/76 Bar No.: 367

Other courts or jurisdictions to which admitted (with dates of admission and bar nos.): US COURT of Appeals - Fourth Circuit - 12/15/77, US Supreme Court - 6/23/80

Membership and positions held in bar, ADR and professional associations: _____

Are you a member in good standing in each jurisdiction where admitted to practice law? yes no

Are you currently the subject of any pending disciplinary proceeding in any jurisdiction? yes no

Have you, within the last 5 years, been denied admission to a bar for character or ethical reasons or disciplined for professional misconduct? yes no

EDUCATION

Year law degree received 1976 Law School University of South Carolina

Other professional degrees received (including year and school) _____

LEGAL EXPERIENCE (A minimum of 5 years of law practice required)

Summarize legal experience (including teaching) since admission to the bar, particularly in the past five years:

Served as General Counsel for Clemson University for 25 years (1979-2004)
Retired in August 2004. Coordinated all University legal matters including labor relations, contract negotiations, intellectual property, civil rights matters (many discrimination complaints at both the state and federal level), real estate issues, construction issues, gifts and development, athletics issues (including NCAA investigations), constitutional issues involving students and employees, conflicts of interest and ethical issues, records access (Freedom of Information Act) and privacy issues including Executive Sessions of Governing Body.

Percentage of practice in last 5 years representing plaintiff 5 % or defense 95 %

Percentage of Federal or State court practice in last 5 years: Federal 40 % State 60 %

Number of years engaged in active litigation: 25 - NOT as a litigator but in litigation management

EXPERTISE

Indicate all substantive areas in which you have expertise. Place a "1" by your strongest area(s) and a "2" by all other areas in which you have expertise. (Do not rank beyond "1" and "2.") After any category you have marked, please identify any sub-areas of expertise you have (e.g. "medical malpractice" after Personal Injury).

<input type="checkbox"/> Admiralty	<input type="checkbox"/> Security or Shareholders suits
<input type="checkbox"/> Antitrust	<input type="checkbox"/> Labor
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>1</u> Contracts	<input type="checkbox"/> ERISA
<input type="checkbox"/> Environment	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>1</u> Wrongful Termination
<input type="checkbox"/> Fraud or Civil RICO	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>1</u> Civil Rights in Employment
<input type="checkbox"/> Insurance	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>2</u> Other Civil Rights
<input type="checkbox"/> Miller Act	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>2</u> Copyrights
<input type="checkbox"/> Personal Injury	<input type="checkbox"/> Patent
<input type="checkbox"/> Product Liability	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>2</u> Trademark
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____	

Publications: _____

MEDIATION EXPERIENCE

Mediation experience (particularly in the subject matter categories above): _____

I have completed the 40 hour Civil Court Mediation Training program. AT Clemson, I represented the University as a party in several mediations, and I was also involved in numerous in-house dispute resolutions.

Other courts or organizations for whom you serve as a mediator (please note any certifications):

Certified Civil Court Mediator in South Carolina Circuit Court

Number of mediations conducted: 0 Number of other ADR sessions conducted: 0

MEDIATION AND OTHER ADR TRAINING

Course Provider	Course Content	Date	Place	No. of Hours
SC Bar-CLE	Civil Court Mediation Certification	Aug 19-23, 2004	Columbia, SC	40
SC Bar-CLE	SC Circuit Court Arbitration Certification	Feb 24, 2003	Clemson Tech	6

OTHER INFORMATION

Are you familiar with the statutes, rules and practice governing alternative dispute resolution in the District of South Carolina? yes no

Other relevant experience or skills or other information you would like considered in connection with this application:

Cities in which you are available to conduct mediation:

Columbia Charleston Greenville Florence

Other Anderson

Fees charged:

Hourly Rate: \$ 200⁰⁰ Minimum charge each mediation: \$ 200⁰⁰

How do you bill for travel? (explain): 50⁰⁰ per hour plus actual expenses for travel outside Greenville. No charge for mediation in Greenville.

I agree to: (1) Be subject to the Rules of Professional Conduct, Rule 407, South Carolina Appellate Court Rules; the Rules for Lawyer Disciplinary Enforcement, Rule 413, South Carolina Appellate Court Rules; and the Local Rules of the District Court; (2) Provide mediation to indigents without pay if ordered by the Court; (3) Notify the Alternative Dispute Resolution Program Director of any change in the above facts or otherwise in my ability to perform duties as a mediator; (4) Disclosure of information contained in this application to litigants and other members of the public.

I certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signature: Ben W Anderson Date: 11/17/05
Applicant

Return completed application to:
Danny H. Mullis, Director
Alternative Dispute Resolution Program
United States District Court
Post Office Box 835
Charleston, SC 29402-0835

Reviewed: [Signature] Date: 11/17/05
ADR Program

Approved: [Signature] Date: 11/17/05
U.S. District Judge